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The Honorable Valerie E. Caproni
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007

MEMO ENDORSED

**Re: United States v. Hugo Mendoza
21 Cr. 273 (VEC)**

Dear Judge Caproni:

I write to respectfully request that Your Honor order the United States Pretrial Services Office in the Southern District of New York to release Hugo Mendoza's passport to his daughter, Pierina Mendoza, at an address to be provided to Pretrial Services, upon his voluntary surrender to the Marshals on August 31, 2022. Mr. Mendoza's passport was provided to Pretrial Services when he first began pretrial supervision in 2021. We understand Pretrial Services can only release these documents pursuant to a Court order. The Court sentenced Mr. Mendoza on July 19, 2022. We can provide additional information, if necessary. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

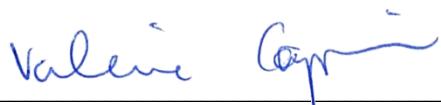
Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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Application GRANTED.

SO ORDERED:

 07/27/2022

HONORABLE VALERIE E. CAPRONI
United States District Judge

cc: Ni Qian, Assistant U.S. Attorney
Ashley Cosme, Pretrial Services Officer